



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Michael E. Lester, et al.  
Appln. No. : 10/051,694  
Filed : January 18, 2002  
Title : A JACKET ASSEMBLY FOR A CABLE

Conf. No. : 1533  
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Examiner : Paul D. Kim

Customer No. : 000,116  
Docket No. : 33552

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE "E"**

Sir:

This communication is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2005 (Paper No. 20051517). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on August 19, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

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Signature of Attorney

**August 19, 2005**

Date